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DATE: 10/18/2012

NATURE OF INCIDENT: Suspect in Parking Ramp Robbery ARRESTED

**CASE NO.: 12195089** 

INCIDENT DATE :10/05/2012 INCIDENT TIME: 8:03 PM

INCIDENT LOCATION: 4th Avenue East & 1st Street
SUBJECT: Suspect in Parking Ramp Robbery ARRESTED
BY: DPD Public Information Officer Jim Hansen (218) 390-2232

On Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 8:03 PM Duluth Police responded to the report of an armed robbery that had just occurred at the Miller Dwan Parking ramp booth at 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue East and 1<sup>st</sup> Street.

Initial investigation revealed that the suspect pulled out a knife and threatened the employee and left with an undisclosed amount of cash and was seen running southbound on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue East towards Superior Street. Follow-up by Duluth Police Investigators developed a suspect, Mark Laquier a 27 year old, male resident of Duluth.

On Friday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 3:30 PM a Duluth Police Officer located Mark Laquier at 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue West and 1<sup>st</sup> Street and he was taken into custody and transported to the Saint Louis County Jail and formally charged with 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Aggravated Robbery.

